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**796-P-12****PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**First named inventor: **JAMES P. ELIA**Application No.: **09/064,000**Filed: **04/21/98**

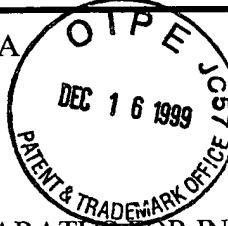
Group Art Unit:

**3732**

Examiner:

**N. Lucchesi**Title: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INSTALLATION OF DENTAL APPARATUS**

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- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee -- required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

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- Small entity - fee \$605.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m))  
 Small entity statement enclosed herewith.  
 Small entity statement previously filed.  
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## 2. Reply and/or fee

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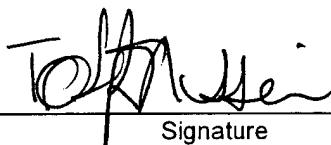
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## 4. Statement. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

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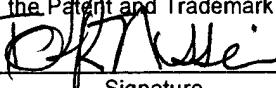
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